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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please delete the word "Description" at page 1, line 1.

Please amend the title on page 1, line 3, as follows:

Method For Producing A An Electrical Component Having Submerged Connecting Areas

Please add the following centered heading at page 1, line 4:

TECHNICAL FIELD

Please add the following centered heading at page 1, line 7:

BACKGROUND

Please add the following centered heading at page 3, line 14:

SUMMARY

Please add the following centered heading at page 8, line 18:

DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

Please add the following centered heading at page 9, line 5:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION

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Please replace the Abstract on page 20 with the following new Abstract:

A method produces a component from first and second substrates. The first substrate has an upper surface that contains terminal pads, and includes component structures that are electrically conductive and that electrically connect to the terminal pads. The second substrate has a lower surface that faces the upper surface of the first substrate. The method includes forming grooves having a predefined depth on the lower surface of the second substrate, and forming incisions on an uppper surface of the second substrate. The incisions reach the grooves to form a cutout portion in the second substrate. The cutout portion is removed to expose the terminal pads.

Please delete the phrase "Figure 4" at page 20, line 12.